

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BUDGET

Voting Members:

Joey Manahan, Chair; Brandon J.C. Elefante, Vice Chair;
Ikaika Anderson, Kymberly Marcos Pine

Committee Meeting Held
May 3, 2017

Honorable Ron Menor
Chair, City Council
City and County of Honolulu

Mr. Chair:

Your Committee on Budget, which considered Bill 45 (2017) entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO THE TRANSPORTATION
SURCHARGE,"

transmitted by Communication MM-46, dated April 19, 2017, by the Office of the Mayor
and which passed first reading at the April 26, 2017 Council meeting, reports as follows:

The purpose of the Bill is to amend the ordinances pertaining to the county
surcharge on general excise and use taxes.

Mayor Caldwell testified in support of the Bill stating that it is needed in the event
the State Legislature extends the General Excise Tax Surcharge for the funding of the
rail project.

Your Committee received testimony from two individuals in support, two
individuals in opposition, and one individual offering comments on the Bill.

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Your Committee on Budget is in accord with the intent and purpose of Bill 45 (2017) and recommends that it be reported out for second reading and scheduling of a public hearing. (Ayes: Manahan, Anderson, Elefante, Pine – 4; Noes: None.)

Respectfully submitted,



Committee Chair

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